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PRESS RELEASE

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January 8, 2014 - AMERICAN VANADIUM CORP. (“American Vanadium” or the “Company”) (TSX.V: AVC) (OTCQX: AVCVF) reports that it has granted 150,000 compensation shares to Michael Hyslop, Director of Corporate Development, to be issued as to 50,000 shares upon TSX Venture Exchange approval (which has been received) and 25,000 shares on each of March 31, 2014, June 30, 2014, Sept 30, 2014 and December 31, 2014.

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About American Vanadium Corp.

American Vanadium is an integrated energy storage company that markets and sells GILDEMEISTER’S CellCube vanadium redox flow batteries in North America. American Vanadium is developing the only vanadium mine in the United States, providing a critical source of vanadium electrolyte for CellCube energy storage systems. The Company’s Gibellini Vanadium Project, located in Nevada, is being designed to economically produce vanadium electrolyte for the energy storage industry, as well as vanadium products for the steel and alloying industries.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

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